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(57) Abstract: An insulated sleeve (13, 14, 15) for a drinking glass of the type having a stem (21) and a bowl, the sleeve adapted to extend about the glass and comprising insulating material, the sleeve having an upper opening (17) and a lower opening (18), the upper opening having a peripheral edge (20) which, in use, extends about the bowl of the glass, the lower opening being smaller than the upper opening and adapted to extend about the stem of the glass, the sleeve having an elongated releasable closure means (16) extending from the lower opening (18) and adjacent to but spaced from the upper opening (17) to allow the lower opening (18) to be enlarged prior to receiving the glass and then reduced so that the sleeve snugly receives the glass therein.

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